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Resources and Services Available in Middleborough Community

AGENCY	PROGRAMS/SERVICES
Office of Economic & Community Dev. 20 Centre St., Middleborough 508-946-2402 www.middleborough.com/192/Economic-Community-Development	 Housing Rehabilitation Assistance Program Private Affordable Rental Program Historic Preservation Downtown Improvement Workforce Development Business support Government grants
Commonwealth of Massachusetts 501 Boylston St., Boston 617-973-8787 www.mass.gov	 Living, working, learning, visiting Massachusetts State and local government information Consumer Affairs, Home Improvement Guidance Public health alerts, Disaster Preparedness Energy/Environment, Taxes, Unclaimed Property Car Buying & Selling, the Lemon Law Indentity Theft Demand letters Managing Credit and Debt Small Claims Court Shopping Rights Landlord Rights & Responsibilities Tenant Rights & Responsibilities
EPA New England 5 Post Office Square, Ste. 100, Boston 888-372-7341 https://www.epa.gov/ma	• EPA has tools to help you learn and understand Greener Living and help you reduce your environmental footprint.

Resources and Services Available in Middleborough Housing - Homeowners

AGENCY	PROGRAMS/SERVICES
Neighbor Works Housing Solutions (formerly South Shore Housing) 169 Summer St., Kingston 781-422-4225 www.nhsmass.org	 1st time Homebuyer Ed, 40B, Landlord, Rehab HMLP-Home Modification Loan Program Counseling: Foreclosure, Reverse Mortgage Facing Homelessness: Section 8, RAFT, Shelters
GATHC Greater Attleboro/Taunton Home Consortium 45 School St., Taunton 508-821-1030 www.taunton-ma.gov	Affordable Housing Homeowner repairs First-time homebuyers
Pro-Home Inc. 40 Summer St., Taunton 508-821-2514 www.prohomeinc.org	 Produce and advocate for affordable housing Prevent loss of or displacement from existing housing Eliminate discrimination in housing
Habitat for Humanity 72 N. Main St., Carver 508-866-4188 www.hfhplymouth.org	Home ownership for families in significant need Brush with Kindness home renovations
SSCAC South Shore Community Action Council 71 Obery St., Plymouth 508-747-7575 www.sscac.org	 Fuel Assistance, Heartwap DOE Weatherization Citizens Energy Oil Heat Program Transportation FEMA Volunteer Income Tax Assistance South Shore Early Education Food Resources Program
MassHousing 1 Beacon St., Boston 617-854-1000 www.masshousing.com	Home Modification Loan Program-HMLP Rental Housing Developers
MassSave/National Grid PO Box 960, Northborough 866-527-SAVE www.masssave.org	 No cost Home Energy Assessments Additional insulation at significant discount Interest-free financing for energy-efficient home upgrades like heating and water heating equipment, central A/C and heat pumps, insulation and more.

community dayalonment	Mass Department of Housing & Community Development (DHCD) 100 Cambridge St., Ste. 300, Boston 617-573-1100 www.mass.gov/orgs/housing-and-community-development	Affordable housing options, financial assistance, and other support to Massachusetts communities. Different types of assistance and funding for consumers, businesses, and non-profit partners.
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Resources and Services Available in Middleborough Housing - Renters

AGENCY	PROGRAMS/SERVICES
Middleborough Housing Authority	State-Aided Housing; Housing Choice Vouchers
8 Benton St., Middleborough	Archer Court-family housing
508-947-3824	Nemasket Apartments-elderly & disabled housing
http://middleboroha.org/	• Riverview Apartments-elderly & disabled housing
	• Star Mill Lofts
Office of Economic & Community Dev.	• 25 units in the Downtown Middleborough Business
20 Centre St., Middleborough	District
508-846-2402	Affordable Housing Rental Program
Middlebury Arms	• 64 units
89 East Grove St., Middleborough	• Low income affordable apartments
508-947-7200	
7.5	
Mayflower Manor	• 44 total units
84 S. Main St., Middleborough	• 11 low income affordable apartments
617-782-6900	
https://s-e-b.com/property/mayflower-manor/	

Housing – Emergency Assistance

AGENCY	PROGRAMS/SERVICES
Department of Transitional Assistance	Basic needs, income and quality of life improvements
21 Spring St., Taunton 508-884-5300 www.mass.gov/dta	Food and nutritional assistance, cash assistance

Conway House 14 East Grove St., Middleborough 508-946-8505 www.mahomeless.org	• Advocacy; counseling by referral; emergency food; community kitchen; clothing if necessary; handicap accessibility; medical care nearby; day program.
Samaritan House 59 Ingell St., Taunton 508-824-6497 www.shelterlistings.org/details/31769/	• 90 day emergency homeless shelter for men and women, plus assessment, job skills training, budgeting information, and access to mental health and other needed services.
MainSpring House 54 N. Main St., Brockton 508-587-5441 www.helpfbms.org	Emergency housing with food and nutrition, job training, and other basic needs.

Resources and Services Available in Middleborough Basic Needs

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Middleborough Family Resource Center 41 Mayflower Ave., Middleborough 508-946-2040 www.middleborofamilyresourcecenter.blogspot.com	• Referrals to local services in housing, transportation, nutrition, clothing, employment, insurance, childcare, parent workshops, support groups, tutors and extracurricular programming
Middleboro WIC Office 23 Wareham St., Middleborough 508-946-0632 www.mass.gov/wic	 Healthy foods, nutrition education, breastfeeding support, healthcare referrals 1st three Tuesdays of the month, 9am-4pm Closed 1-2 pm
Council on Aging 558 Plymouth St, Middleborough 508-946-2490 www.middleborough.com/210/Council-on-Aging	 Information, services, programs and activities Daily Luncheon Program, Meals on Wheels, an Adult Supportive Day Program, Transportation
The Bliss Family Foundation PO Box 721, Wareham 508-317-1707	Funding for low-income older women in need of services, equipment, repairs or assistance in order to remain in her home in Wareham or Middleborough

The Massachusetts Good Neighbor Energy Fund Salvation Army Service Center 216 Center St., Brockton 800-334-3047 www.magoodneighbor.org	• Providing energy assistance to hundreds-of- thousands of residents in temporary crisis who are struggling to pay their energy bills and do not qualify for federal or state energy funds.
Health Imperatives 123 Camelot Dr., Plymouth 508-583-3005 www.healthimperatives.org	Vital health and human services WIC food program

Resources and Services Available in Middleborough Emergency Food & Clothing

AGENCY	PROGRAMS/SERVICES
South Middleboro Methodist Church	• The Clothing Cupboard: apparel, infants to adults
563 Wareham St., Middleborough	• Open 1st and 3rd Saturday each month
774-406-6460	• Hours 10:00 AM till noon.
www.smiddleboroumc.org	
MeetingHouse Church	• Love in Action Food Pantry and The Clothes Closet
3 Nickerson Ave., Middleborough	• Open Mondays & Wednesdays 3:30-5:00 PM
508-947-1189	
www.meetinghousechurch.com	
Central Congregational Church	Caring Center Food Pantry: open Mondays 9-11 AM
2 Webster St., Middleborough	• Salvation Army Outreach: clothing vouchers, utility
508-947-1256	bill assistance
http://centralcongo.org/	
St. Vincent de Paul Society	Sacred Heart Food Pantry, clothing vouchers,
53 Oak St., Middleborough	emergency help with rent, heat, lights, shelter,
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www.svdpmiddleboro.org	• Open 1st four Saturdays of the month, 8:30-11:00 AM
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	• Open 2nd and 4th Wednesday/month, 4:00-6:30 PM
First Unitarian Universalist Church	• Fuel Assistance
25 S. Main St., Middleborough	
www.uumiddleboro.org	
53 Oak St., Middleborough 508-947-1717 www.svdpmiddleboro.org First Unitarian Universalist Church	emergency help with rent, heat, lights, shelter, transportation • Open 1st four Saturdays of the month, 8:30-11:00 • Open 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month, 8:30-11:00 AM • Open 2nd and 4th Wednesday/month, 4:00-6:30

Resources and Services Available in Middleborough Employment

AGENCY	PROGRAMS/SERVICES
Pride Inc 3 Maple St., Taunton 508-823-7134 www.pride-inc.org	 Alternative residential, employment, social programs Pre-Employment Transistion Services Dial-A-Ride assistance CORI assistance
SSCAC South Shore Community Action Council 71 Obery St., Plymouth 508-747-7575 www.sscac.org	Early Education Teacher Assistant Training
MassHire South Shore Career Center 71R Obery St., Plymouth 508-745-4000 www.masshiresouthshorecc.com	 Connecting businesses and jobseekers through a statewide network of employment professionals. Access to Workforce Development services and resources. Support services to individuals who face significant barriers to employment.

Resources and Services Available in Middleborough Health & Human Services

AGENCY	PROGRAMS/SERVICES
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The Middleborough Counseling Center 94 S. Main St., Middleborough 508-947-6100 www.northeasthealthservices.com	 Psychiatric Evaluation & Medication Mgmt Psychological/ Neuropsychological Testing Individual, Group, Couples, & Family Therapy Child and Adolescent Therapy Behavior and Anger Management Mood Disorders Anxiety, Panic and Phobias Substance Abuse Grief and Trauma Stress Reduction Chronic Illness
Public Health/Nurse 20 Centre St., Middleborough 508-946-2408 www.middleborough.com/179/Health-Department	 Blood pressure clinics Communicable disease and food borne illness Food service inspections Home health supervision visits Public flu and pneumonia clinics
Veterans Services Office 20 Centre St., Middleborough 508-946-2407 www.middleborough.com/177/Veterans-Services	• Assists veterans and/or their eligible dependents with applying for VA disability benefits, state veteran benefits and a number of other veteran related issues.
Veterans Outreach Center 511 West Grove St., Middleborough 508-923-0900 www.thenathanhaleveteransoutreachcenter.com	 Veterans Wellness Food Pantry Transportation to & from medical appointments Understanding VA benefits
Independence Associates 100 Laurel St., Ste. 122, East Bridgewater 508-583-2166 www.iacil.org	 Assistance with disability issues Self advocacy Independent living skills Options counseling Peer counseling Personal care management



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General Emergency	
Fire Emergency	911
Police Emergency	911
Ambulance Emergency	911
Silent Call Procedure	First 911, then
From www.Mass.gov	 Press 1 for police
Dispatchers are trained to ask, "What	• Press 2 for fire
is your emergency?" twice, and to	 Press 3 for ambulance
ensure the caller is not using TTY for people who are hard-of-hearing,	 Press 4 to respond YES
before initiating the silent call	 Press 5 to respond NO
procedure.	
Poison Control Center	800-682-9211
Hotlines	
CDC National AIDS and STD	800-232-4636
Child At Risk Hotline	800-792-5200
	24 Hr Coverage
Domestic Violence	877-785-2020
Department of Children & Families (DCF)	508-821-7000
Child Find Missing	800-426-5678
Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention	800-532-9571
National Runaway/Homeless/ At	800-621-4000
Risk Youth	24 Hr Coverage
Parental Stress Hotline	800-632-8188
	24 Hr Coverage
Parents Helping Parents	800-882-1250
Samaritan Suicide	877-870-4673
www.samaritanshope.org	
National Addiction Helpline	888-352-6072
Substance Abuse/Mental Health	800-662-4357